# STRIKE RENEWED ON THE TRANSIT LINES.

Union Men Declare That the Company Has Violated the Agreement of July Second.

Attorney Lehmann's Offer to Submit the Question of Fact to the Striker's Counsel Is Rejected-Boycott Ordered.

The Street Railway Employes Union, in mass meeting at West End Colliscum yesterday afternoon, voted to renew the strike on the St. Louis Transit Company's lines.

The boycott was ordered to take effect at 5 o'clock this morning. Attorney F. W. Lehmann of counsel for the Transit Company in a speech to the union men offered to abide by the decision of their attorney, Joseph W. Folk, on the

question of fact as to whether the company had violated the agreement, but the men did not accept the proposition. The union claims the company has violated the agreement of July 2 in hiring men other than those whose names appear on the list submitted by the union for it instatement. The company declares that no men have been put to work since July

2, save those who were hired prior to the agreement of that date, and other former employes who were considered eligible to a place on the union's list. The men further assert that a verbal agreement which they were given to understand was effected on July 2, concerning seniority of service and priority of employment of union men, was violated, but the company denies that it entered into

Manager Baumhoff of the St. Louis Transit Company said last night that the strike will not affect the operation of cars, night or day, on any of the lines. The special committee of the Central Trades and Labor Union which was appe ed Sunday to prepare a declaration of the attitude of organized labor on the strike last night made public the statement, giving specific instances in which it charges the company with bud faith.

### CLAMORED FOR A VOTE ON STRIKE.

The meeting was opened with an invoca-tion offered by the Reverend W. W. Newell of the Compton Hill Congregational Church.

Complaint of the Union.

Cass Avenue Man Protests.

The strike on the St. Louis Transit Com- ; the only concession which would avert a pany's lines, which was declared off on the evening of July 2, was ordered renewed yesterday at a necting of the street railway men's union, at the West End Coliseum. This morning at 5 o'clock was the time fixed for the renewal of the beyoott on all the commany's divisions. pany's lines, which was declared off on the renewal of the strike

taliway men's union, held on Sunday at Walhalla Hali, a batch of affidavits were received and read. All these affidavits were to the effect that men had been employed by the company since July 2 in violation of the terms of the agreement of that date.

After a session lasting several hours the Executive Committee determined to call a mass meeting of the street railway men for yesterday morning and to recomend to that meeting that the strike be declared

The Central Trades and Labor Union met later and indorsed the action of the Executive Committee.

The representatives of the company met and through President Whitaker addressed and through President visited that the com-pany had intentionally violated the agree-ment of July 2, and declaring its intention to live up to every condition of the agree-ment, both in letter and spirit.

Attorney Lehman's Offer.

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Attorney Lehmann's Offer.

Fred W. Lehmann, attorney for the company, appeared at the meeting and offered to submit the question as to whether the company had broken faith to Joseph W. Company had broken faith to Joseph W. Folk, counsel for the men, and bound the company to abide by Mr. Folk's judgment in the premises. The proposition was ignored, and, by a unardimous vote, the strike ment and fight until we revoke its ment. We will fight until we revoke its

in the premises. The proposition was ignored, and, by a unarimous vote, the strike was renewed.

Owing to some criticism of the conduct of the old Executive Committee, it was decided by the union to elect a new one. All divisions were instructed to mest last night and select new committeemen.

A member of the old Executive Committee said yesterday that this was the second time the company had broken faith with its employes, and no agreement would be accepted in the future that did not provide for the reinstatement of all old employer in twenty-four hours after the execution of the agreement.

"There will be no lawlessness or demonstrations of violence this time," he continued. "By means of a vigorous enforcement of the boycott we hope to absolutely destroy the carning capacity of the company."

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The whole trouble seems to hang upon a question of fact, the men insisting that the company has violated its agreement while the company, on the other hand, emphatically defies that such is the case.

The men claimed yesterday that a verbal agreement was entered into concurrently with the written agreement and under medverbal agreement the company had agreed verbal agreement that the men that the Reverend Doctor It was claimed that the Reverend Doctor It was claimed that the Reverend to the W. W. Boyd had assured to men that such an agreement existed in a speech at the West End Collecum.

The officers of the company declare that the only agreement made by them was the written agreement was the written agreement was the written agreement w

the platform, and announced that a communication was being prepared by the company.

"As soon as I learned this morning of the renewed trouble," Mr. Wilson told the men, "I hurried to President Lee of the Merchants'-Laclede National Pank and to Btoker Kotany, both stockholders in the transit company, I told them the public would permit no double dealing from the company. They telephened immediately to Mr. Whitaker, and a communication now is being prepared, to be sent out here in a few minutes. If it is true that such tactles as have been described are being employed, the public will be with you stronger than ever. The people will see that the company treats you right. But Mr. Whitaker told me that if the agreement had been violated, he would see that those responsible should suffer."

Clamor for action on the motion to strike was renewed when Mr. Wilson concluded, several members urging the union to immediate action. Mr. Wilson beaded for delay, as ild John Dix of the South Sixth street line. The tumuit finally subsided, but repeatedly broke out anew, as the men rew fretful under the delay. Repeatedly the leaders were compelled to urge moderation, until finally the agreement was reached to wait until not later than 2 It was then I.

President Whitaker's Reply.

#### FEEDING FOR HEALTH.

A complete change in food makes a com-plete change in body. Therefore if you are siling in any way, the surest road back to health is to change your diet. Try the following breakfast for ten days and mark the result:

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Transit Attorney Cross-Examined. Clamored for a Strike.

The men assembled with no knowledge that the transit company intended to communication and the transit company intended to communication as about to be taken, when fixed for the renewal of the beyont on all the company's divisions.

When the strike was settled there were some mutterings of discontent among the men over the terms of settlement, and since that time the disatisfaction has grown daily. Charges were made that the company had failed to keep the agreement of July 2, and a dozen or more instances were cited tending to prove that there had been a breach of faith.

Meetings were held at several places in the course of the week and committees on the forms of the leaders cannot be desirable to the platform and amounced that a communication was being prepared by the company. Even then it required the utmost effort on the platform and amounced that the letter clearly was electred in the platform and amounced that the letter clearly was electred by the company and that he chought all were read to the disarders in the platform and amounced that the committee could make himself nearly the company and a mounced that the letter clearly was electred by the company and the men in required the utmost effect of the platform and amounced that the letter clearly was electred by the company and the platform and amounced that the letter clearly was the strike. By temporizing, the vote in the disorder which followed the company and the team of the deaders on the door, hurding the fact of the grand three councils and the strike on was about to deader his the strike on was about to detaken, when the accommittee on the trowd at the door, hurding the company and that the form and amounced that the letter clearly was the closer. As soon as Charlman Edwards of the Britanian the strike in the strike the strike in the story in the previous the prevent of the fall w and it was ten minutes before order was

Immediately after he stepped off the platform, the strike was declared on the vote being unanimous. Then it was ordered that the strike take effect immediately, but that the renewal of the boycott be postponed until 5 a. m. to-day, to afterd the public the means of reaching their homes this evening. Then it was ordered that the twenty-three divisions of the union meet as soon as possible to elect a member of the Executive Board, so that if dissatisfaction existed in any division over the action of its present member, he could be replaced. It was directed that the new board formulate demands on the company, to be submitted I pledge myself personally to carry this out."
"You have said that before and the company has violated its agreement," objected some one in the audience. Another member of the union then demanded of Mr. Lehmann whether George W. Baumboff would be discharged for not having posted lists of men to be reinstated."
"We want fair play," broke in J. J. Mars of the Easton avenue division, "bid you not understand. Mr. Lehmann, that the agreement mant reinstatement and not merely the chance to apply for re-employment."

"The agreement speaks for itself." lemands on the company, to be submitted to the public and the officers of the transit

merely the chance to apply for re-employment?"

"The agreement speaks for itself," replied Mr. Lehmann, "I think that it said reinstatement, without prepadice to the men now employed."

"We are reliably informed," persisted Mr. Mars, "that assurances and pledges were made to the committee in regard to reinstatement and on the strength of that, the settlement was accepted by us,"

"Everything in the agreement was in writing," said Mr. Lehmann, "and no assurances additional to the written agreement were made in my presence."

A running lire of questions was kept up for about half an hour, Mr. Lehmann repeying to all, although often interrupted by jeera.

He scarcely had quit the platform, when it was voted unanimously to declare the strike on, not to be declared of event by. The complaints of the union with reference to the company's treatment of the new agreement, and the action of the Executive Committee on Sunday, as reported in The Republic yesterday, were presented by Chairman T. B. Edwards of the Grievance Committee.

He scarcely had quit the platform, when it was voted unanimously to declare the strike on, not to be declared off except by the union as a body. Propositions then were made for the for-mulation of a new set of demands on the What we want," said J. J. Mars of the

"What we want," said J. J. Mars of the Easton Avenue division, "is a full and complete recognition of the union; the reinstatisment of every man; ten hours a day, intished in twelve consecutive hours," So cents an hour; pay for overtime for the shedmen and the like; and to cents an hour while waiting in the sheds; and in arbitration agreement. And we want to let the company know that we want it to get rid of Enumboff and Whitaker."

When it had been agreed to elect a new Executive Committee and Instruct it to formulate demands, the meeting adjourned.

#### ORGANIZED LABOR'S ATTITUDE.

Statement by Special Committee of C. T. & L. U. as to the Strike.

Labor Union, which was appointed Sunday for the purpose of drawing up a declaration of the attitude of organized labor toward the strike of the transit company employes, last night made public the state-

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Fitteen minutes later the letter was delivered to Mr. Edwards, who read it, as
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with some erram, a cup of property boiled
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### ATTORNEY LEHMANN TALKS.

Had Hopes That Union Would Approve His Proposition.

Fred W. Lehman of counsel for the transit company said yesterday, after the strike was declared renewed;

"I had but one purpose in view in going That but one purpose is view in going to the meeting, and that was to convince the men that the company was acting in good faith and proposed to stand by the agreement of July 2, both in letter and spirit. I am frank to admit that I felt that little or no heed would be paid to my words, but I went prepared to and did make a proposition which I know must commend itself to the favorable consideration of the St. Louis multiple and which I ion of the St. Louis public, and which and hoped would meet the approval

That proposition was simply this, to submit the question of fact as to whether the company had broken faith or not to Mr. Joseph W. Folk, the attorney for the Mr. Joseph W. Folk, the attorney for themen, and if his hadgment was against the company to discharge every man that he decided had been employed in visitation of the terms of settlement of July 2. Could any fearer proposition be made? Could any reasonable loody of men ask for more? Could the company against whom this complaint is ledged do more? As I said before the company is acting in perfect good faith in this matter and had no thought of doing otherwise.

"This recent trouble is one entirely of fact, and as such is susceptible of proof. Mr. Folk being the attorney of the men they could confidently rely upon thin to protect their interest, and the company is so absolutely certain of its contention that it was willing to trust its security to his hands.

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hands. "My suggestion was ignored, as the action of the meeting shows. I know of nothing close I can do in the premises but submit to the indement of a competent public to decide whether or not the company could do more than it did to prevent a recurrence of the conditions which subjected it to so much inconvenience from May 8 to July 2 and which all had hoped was happily ended for all time."

# RICHARD FERRICK'S TRIAL

Work of Selecting Jury Begun-History of Case.

Richard Verrick, indicted for the killing of Emergency Policeman Duncan K. MacRae Spencer's division of the Criminal Court Spencer's division of the Criminal Court yesterday. A panel of forty-seven jurous was selected. From this number twelve will be chosen. The law allows twenty-four hours for this work in cases of murder in the first degree, and unless the time is waived by prosecution the jury will not be called into the beau until to-morrow merning. At that time the taking of testimony will be begun.

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Mackno was an emergency special who was enlisted in the service only three days before his death. He was detailed as guard on car No. 15 of the Cass avenue line. About 3 o'clock in the afternoon on May 25, while the car was approaching Twenty-second street in Cass avenue, a man in his shirt sleeves ran out to the curb on the north sidewalk and fired two shots. At the second shot officer Mackhae fell Bioless to the car platform. The assailant escaped in the crowd. Three days after the kuling betterives Field and Shevila arrested Richard Ferrick. He was identified by the conductor and partially identified by the conductor and partially identified by the motormum. As he was heing placed in the patrol wagon after the identification he is said to have remarked to the detectives that he wished he had got "that little fellow," meaning the conductor.

#### SUBURBAN ARBITRATORS MEET.

Testimony Taken-Next Session to Be Held Monday.

The Arbitration Board, composed of Scott H. Blewett, W. T. Anderson and H. W. Steinbiss, which is to decide the merits of Stemoss, which is to decide the merits of the contention between the St. Louis an i Subarban Railway Company and its union employes, met at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Mr. Anderson is chairman and Mr. Biewett secretary. Mr. Jenkins was at the mostling as a sort of prosecuting attorney with the evidence to show that the union has not lived up to its agreement with the company. On the other hand, evidence was submitted by the union to show that the suion, and not the union with the company.

The proceedings of the meeting were taken down by a stenographer. The taking was not completed yesterday. Before the was not completed yesterday. Before the meeting adjourned Mr. Jenkins announced that as he will depart from the city to-day on business which may detain him several days, he cannot altend any immediate uncentings. Mr. Steinbas then said that urgent business required his presence in theapon on Saturday, and that he would depart on Friday night. Next Monday afternoon was the time set for the next meeting of the Arbitration Board at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

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#### WARRANTS AGAINST WOMEN.

Charged With Obstructing Transit Company's Tracks.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Johnson issued warrants yesterday against Mary Sottoon and Mary Glassnear of No. 1997 South Third street, charging them with obstructing street railway tracks. It is al-lexed that they piled a number of boards and rails on the tracks at Breadway and

and rails on the tracks at Broadway and Barry street.

Special Officers Drissell and Beard and Sergeant Hess of the Third District arrested the women Saturday evening on suspicion of having assaulted Mrs. Eva Doman on Sunday, June II. at the same corner. When they had been arrested, it was found that Mrs. Doman had left the city. Other witnesses then identified the women as the two who placed obstructions on the track.

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Conrad Paul, a 12-year-old boy, who was arrested with them, admitted throwing mid at Mrs. Doman and said the Sottoon and Glassicar women were with him. Unless Mrs. Doman is found they cannot be prosected.

#### TOBACCO WORKERS' GRIEVANCE Action Postponed-Two Unions Renew the Boycott.

At a mass meeting of the Tobacco Workers' Union last night at Druids' Hall, the question of the advisability of ordering a strike in a certain plant in the city was discussed. The firm in question is charged with discriminating against the union. The matter was left to a meeting to be held in a few days. The support of the union was pledged to the street railway strikers and

rect and that possibly some of the things that he said at the mass meeting have been misconstrued.

"During the strike," said Doctor O'Rellly, "Con Moloney, Ductor J. J. Kane and myself decided that it was our duty as good citizens to do what we could to help bring about an amicable adjustment of the differences letween the St. Louis Transit Company and its former employes, To this end we constituted ourselves an intermediary committee of three and called on President Whitaker reveral times to discuss the situation with him and see if we could not hit upon a plan to end the strike.

"We were cordinally received by Mr. Whitaker and we talked over the agreement that was signed on July 2. It seemed to me that Mr. Whitaker had a very cordial feeling toward his old employes, and he manifested a despire to have them back on the cars. His manner caused me to believe that most of the former employes of the St. Louis Transit Company would be reinstand inside of sixty days. I think I expressed that opinion to several of my friends, and, although I do not remember doing so, I may have said the same thing to the atrikers at the mass meeting. Mr. Whitaker, however, did not say that he did. If I spoke about the time that would clause before all the men were reinstated it was only to express my belief, in the hope that it might indusence the men to stand by the action of their Grievance Committee, which signed the agreement."

#### MR. BAUMHOFF ON THE STRIKE. Declares It Will Not Affect Operation of Cars.

George W. Baumhoff, general manager of the St. Louis Transit Company, said last night that the calling of a second strike would not affect the company in the least would not affect the company in the least.

"As far as the company is concerned,"
said Mr. Baumhoff, "the strike is of no
great importance. I regret, however, that
our former employes were so hasty. The
company was making every endeavor to reinstable the men as rapidly as possible and
was and is keenly alive to the advantages
of having its cars manned by old and experienced crews. perioded crews.

"The company will continue to run its cars on schedule time. The owl cars will cars on schedule time. The owl cars will be run, as well as the day cars, and I don't believe that the strike will affect the operation of the system in any way whatso ever. As far as I know, none of the em-playes quit yesterday. On the contrary, a very large number of the former employee. who went to work since the agreement was signed did not walk out yesterday, and I think they believe that they intend to do so. I think they have had enough strike and that they believe must they can do better for themselves and families by working than the children in the control of the children in the control of the children in th than by striking.

The evening service, to accommodate the crowds going to and from the amusement places, will not be affected by the strike any more than any other branch of the system, and the cars will be run over the new summer garden' routes at short intervals.

## SUMMONS FOR MRS. BUCKLEY.

Saloonkeeper Now Says She Disturbed the Peace.

The arrest of Anna Buckley in South St Louis last month, because of which Cap-tain Samuel Boyd, in charge of the First Police District, and Officer Bridwell, who reduce District, and Officer Bridweit, who attested Mrs. Buckley, were indicted, re-sulted in the issuance of a summons yes-terdry against Mrs. Buckley, charging her with disturbance of the peace. The com-plaining witness against Mrs. Buckley is J. P. Egan, a salcockeeper at No. 825 South Broadway. It is alleged that Mrs. Buckley's actions after getting off of a St. Louis Transic Company or were calculated Louis Transit Company car were calculated to cause trouble. Chief of Police Campbell ordered her release after she was first arrested. Captain floyd and officer Bridwell were blamed on the ground that the action of the Chief indicated that her arrest was uncalled for.

#### MENDEZ LEAVES BERLIN.

Spanish Ambassador Is Returning to His Home.

Berlin, July 9.-The Spanish Ambassador Senor Memdex de Vigo, left here to-day. He received a high decoration at the Foreign Office. All the Ambassadors and nearly the entire diplomatic corps accompanied the Amabaseador to the depot to bid him fare-Ambassador White and Secretary of Em-

#### HOBART ESTATE APPRAISED.

Late Vice President Worth Nearly Three Million Dollars.

New York, July 2.-The inventory of the personal estate of the late Vice President Garret A. Hobart was filed with the Surrogate at Paterson, N. J., to-day, 'It appraises the late Vice President's wealth at \$2.575.44. Mr. Hobart held bonds in twenty-six corporations and stock in MAY MEAN MORE FIGHTING.

Bolivia to Send a Division to Acera District.

Linea, Peru, via Galveston, July 9.-A dis patch from La Paz, Bolivia, says that Senor Guachalla, the new Bolivian plenipotentiary to the United States, will leave shortly.

A Bolivian military division, commanded by the Minister of War, the dispatch says, will leave Lt Paz on July 16 for the disputed territory of Acera.

#### AFRIDI WAR THREATENED.

Afghans Attacked While Erecting a Fort Near Decca.

n, July 10 .- A dispatch to the Ex press from Peshawur, in the Punjab, under date of June 19, says 600 Afridis made a sudden night descent on 200 Afghans, who were engaged in building a fort near Decca and killed a number of them. It is feared in official Indian circles that another Afridi war ts brewing.

#### At New York Hotels.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, July 9.—Hotel arrivals to-day include the following:

St. Louis-P. J. Byrne, M. A. Singer, New York, July 2.—Hotel arrivals to-day include the following:

St. Louis-P. J. Byrne, M. A. Singer, L. L. Singer, D. J. Imman, M. Lippman, M. Lippman

marie.
Kansas City-E. Hirshorn, J. Dennhoefer.
St. Denis; S. Friedberg, M. Abeles, Grand
Union; E. D. Rowe, A. R. Meyer, Manhattan; D. Lyons, D. Frankel, Criterion; Mrs.
W. G. Hawes, Grand Union; P. Williams,
Sturtevant; C. H. Lyon, Albert; J. B. Cavsnaugh, Cadillac.
St. Joseph-T. W. Gaynor, G. L. Hammer,
J. L. Rogers, Cadillac.

#### GUY H. WEBBER ARRESTED. Accused of Riffing Mail at Eldora-

do, Ill.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Duquoin, Ri., July 2.—Post Office Inspectors George W. Holloway and M. G. Price of the Chicago division to-day arrested Guy H. Webber, late assistant Postmaster and non of the present Postmaster at Eldorado.
Numerous complaints of losses of registered matter had annoyed the department lately. Since last May they became so frequent that the Inspectors were detailed to locate the leak. For the last week their energies have been directed on the Eldorado office.

# AT NEW LONDON.

Aged Prisoner Betrayed Some Ner vousness and His Eyes Showed

READILY OBTAINED

Expected That the Jury Will Be Selected To-Day Without Difficulty-Both Sides Ready

New London, Mo., July 3,-Alexander Jes ter, nlias William A. Hill, is now on trial for his life, charged with the murder of Gilbert Gates, his 15-year-old companion, nearly thirty years ago. At 19 o'clock court convened, with David H. Eby on the bench and all the attorneys and many witnesse present.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL

Circuit Clerk Hulse administered the oath to Sheriff Jones and two deputies. Both sides announced their readiness for trial. The aged prisoner and his two sens sat black suit and looks like a superanuated farmer-preacher.

Though seemingly in fine health, h leaned heavily on his care. His face is a study. His square jaw is covered with white beard.

He has a low, receding forehead, bald head and a heavy fringe of dark gray hair that falls to the collar of his coat. His dark, thick skin is less rosy than when he last appeared in court. Dark blue mourn ful eyes look steadily at you from beneath heavy brows. There were traces of tears in his deep-set eyes and a nervous twitching of the mouth

The one striking feature of the face is the strong Roman nose of the Duke of Wellington type. He is composed, but wears constantly a persecuted air. No man in New London has been more plous in his conduct or more careful of his words than the prisoner. He was baptized, he says, by Elder Lynn of the Christian Church many years ago, and was ordained to the min-istry in 1858. All these years he has preached and farmed, but never accepted a cent for

his preaching.
Out of the venire of eighty men a panel of forty was readily secured. From this panel a jury of twelve men will be selected

Governor Johnson extracted from one man the statement that he had read re-ports of the case in The Republic and had formed and expressed an opinion. He was promptly excused from the panel. Court adjourned until 3 o'clock to-morrow, when the battle will begin in earnest.

#### STREET RAILWAY TROUBLE.

Little Rock's Mayor Wants the Franchise Annulled.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Little Rock, Ark., July 3.-The City Council to-night took decisive action relative to the street car controversy by adopting the following recommendations offered by

following recommendations offered by Mayor Duley:

"I deem it my duty to urge upon the Aldermen the necessity of taking some decided action relative to the franchise of the Little Rock Traction and Electric Company. The numerous derailments and the incenvenience to and the hardships imposed on the general public on July 4 tecause of the very poor physical condition of the tracks and rolling stock have caused such universal condemnation that it amounts to a demand upon us to take action, inasmuch as all former petitions have been ignored.

"I would therefore recommend that the City Attorney be instructed to apply to the henorable United States Court to have the receiver make the necessary improvements within a reasonable time, and in the event this is not done that he at once take such steps as may be necessary looking to annulling the contract between the city and the street railway company."

#### INDIANS SEE THE PRESIDENT.

Pawnee Bill's Braves Call and Shake Hands.

Canton, O., July 9 .- A delegation of fullblooded Indians waited on the President this evening and were rewarded with cordial hardshaking. They are connected with the Pawnee Bill Wild West Show and were accompanied by the man whose name the accompanied by the man whose name the show hears.

There was the usual number of callers to pay their respects or to see the President on personal business and a number to talk over matters in connection with the Notification Committee. The survivors of the President's old regiment in the Civil War, the Twenty-third Ohio, are calling and will be entertained by the local posts of the Grand Army of the Republic.

Senator Fairbanks of Indiana will be one of the visitors on that day.

#### TOADSTOOLS KILLED NINE.

Entire Family Died From Eating Supposed Mushrooms,

Little Rock, Ark., July 9.-News reache here to-day that an entire family of nine persons had died near Calico Rock, Marion County, from eating poisonous toadstools, supposed to be mushrooms. The victims

supposed to be musarooms. The victims are:

W. J. Fink, aged 49 years; Mrs, Mary Lee Fink, aged 39 years; John E. Fink, aged 18 years; Keakle Fink, aged 13 years; Siegel Fink, aged 11 years; Veil Fink, aged 9 years; Rose Lee Fink, aged 7 years; Melan Fink, aged 6 years, and an infant.

The family ate a hearty dinner, which included the supposed mushrooms. All were taken violently ill and none recovered.

#### HONORED A ST. LOUISAN.

William Stix, President of Jewish Orphan Trustees.

Cleveland, O., July 9.-At the annual election of the trustees of the Jewish Orphan Asylum, maintained by the Order of B'Nai B'Rith, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

William Stix, St. Louis, president; Louis Levi, Cincinnati, vice president; Kauffman Hays, Cleveland, treasurer; M. Buchman, Cleveland, financial secretary; Doctor S. Wolfenstein, Cleveland, recording secretary and superintendent. David Adler of Mil-waukee refused to again serve as president, owing to ill health.

Governor Allen in Washington. Washington, July 9.—Lovernor Charles II, Allen of Porto Rico, who is on a visit to the United States on official business, ar-rived here te-night from New York,

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Boers Attack the British at Several

Points. London, July 9.-The following dispatch from Lord Roberts has been received at the War Office:

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"Pretoria, Sunday, July 8.—As the enemy for some days had been threatening our line of radiway by trying to get round our right flank, I dispatched Hutton, July 5, with mounted infantry, to re-enforce Mahon and with orders to drive the Boers to the east of Broenkersprut. These orders were effectually carried out during Friday and Saturday by Mahon, who was attacked by some 1,900 men, with six guns and two Maxims. Our casualties were:

"Wounded—Two officers, including Captain Nelles of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, slightly, and twenty-six men.

"Steyn left Bethlehem on the night of July 4 for Fouriesburg, between Bethlehem and Ficksburg, accompanied by Christian De Wet and other Free State commanders, with troops reported numbering 3,000 men.

"Hanbury-Tracy, commanding at Rustenburg, reports that a party of Boers under Limmer called on him yesterday to surrender the town and garrison, Hanbury-Tracy replied that he held Rustenburg for her Majesty's Government and Intended to continue to occupy it. The enemy then opened fire with artillery and tried to take the heights commanding the town, but did not succeed, owing to the good arrangements made by Hanbury-Tracy and his officers. Eventually they were driven off with the assistance of Holdsworth and his hussavs, who made a rapid march of forty-eight miles from the neighborhood of Zeerust with the Bushmen under Colonel Aire on hearing Rustenburg was likely to be threatened. The enemy suffered heavily and five men were captured. Our casualities were two men killed and one officer and three men wounded.

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Roberts Says Many Leaders Sur-

rendered at Heilbron. London, July 9 .- Lord Roberts tele to the War Office from Pretoria as follows: "The officer commanding at Heilbron 1eports that State Secretary Blignaut, State Attorney Dickson and members of the Council Vanander and Kuppervergen came

DICK MAY SUCCEED COX.

Ohio National Committeeman to Be Soon Chosen.

Cleveland, O., July 9.—Colonel Winfield T. Durbin, Republican candidate for Governor of Indiana, spent an hour with National Chairman Hanna to-day, discussing political affairs in that State.

Colonel Durbin expressed himself as feeling confident that the Republicans would make a clean sweep in the Hooser State this fall. Colonel Durbin was a member of the National Republican Executive Committee during 1886, being located at the Chicago Civic Federation and Major Riggeow of St. Louis.

While nothing authoritative has yet been made public as to who will be selected to fill the vacancy on the National Committee caused by the resignation of George B. Cox of Cinchunati, there seems to be but little doubt that General Charles F. Dick will be chosen for the place. The appointment will be made Friday, when the Executive Committee will meet at Senator Hanna's office.

INDIANS SEE THE PRESIDENT.

Little Rock, Ark., July 9.—Near Falcon, Columbia County, Lee Watson was shot and killed by Mrs. James Henry.
Watson went to the Henry home and, it is alleged by Mrs. Henry, attempted to assault her. She selzed a shotgun and empited both barrels at Watson, killing him instantly. Mrs. Henry was arrested on a charge of murder. Lydia

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